

2026



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Okaloosa County has become the premier location for outdoor enthusiasts. This region is situated in northwest Florida and features pristine beaches along Gulf waters and wooded areas to the north to satisfy the needs of beachgoers, anglers and everyday adventurers looking to enjoy nature. Each one of these photos was taken in Okaloosa County by staff members working for the County in the fields of public information or tourism promotion. We hope you enjoy these images and, even more importantly, we hope you find yourself enjoying these spots in person.

Cover photo taken on a stormy night at the Okaloosa Fishing Pier.



The purpose of Okaloosa County government is to be responsive to citizens in providing an appropriate level of accessible services on a cost-effective basis. Critical County values include the following: continual improvement of infrastructure; health, safety, and well-being of the citizens; preservation of natural resources; responsible economic development; leadership; and stewardship. Each Commissioner is elected to a four-year term by the voters of Okaloosa County.

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Snow covers the Veterans Memorial display in front of the County Courthouse in Crestview in January 2025. The snow event was unprecedented and historic for the County.

December 2025

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7	8	9				

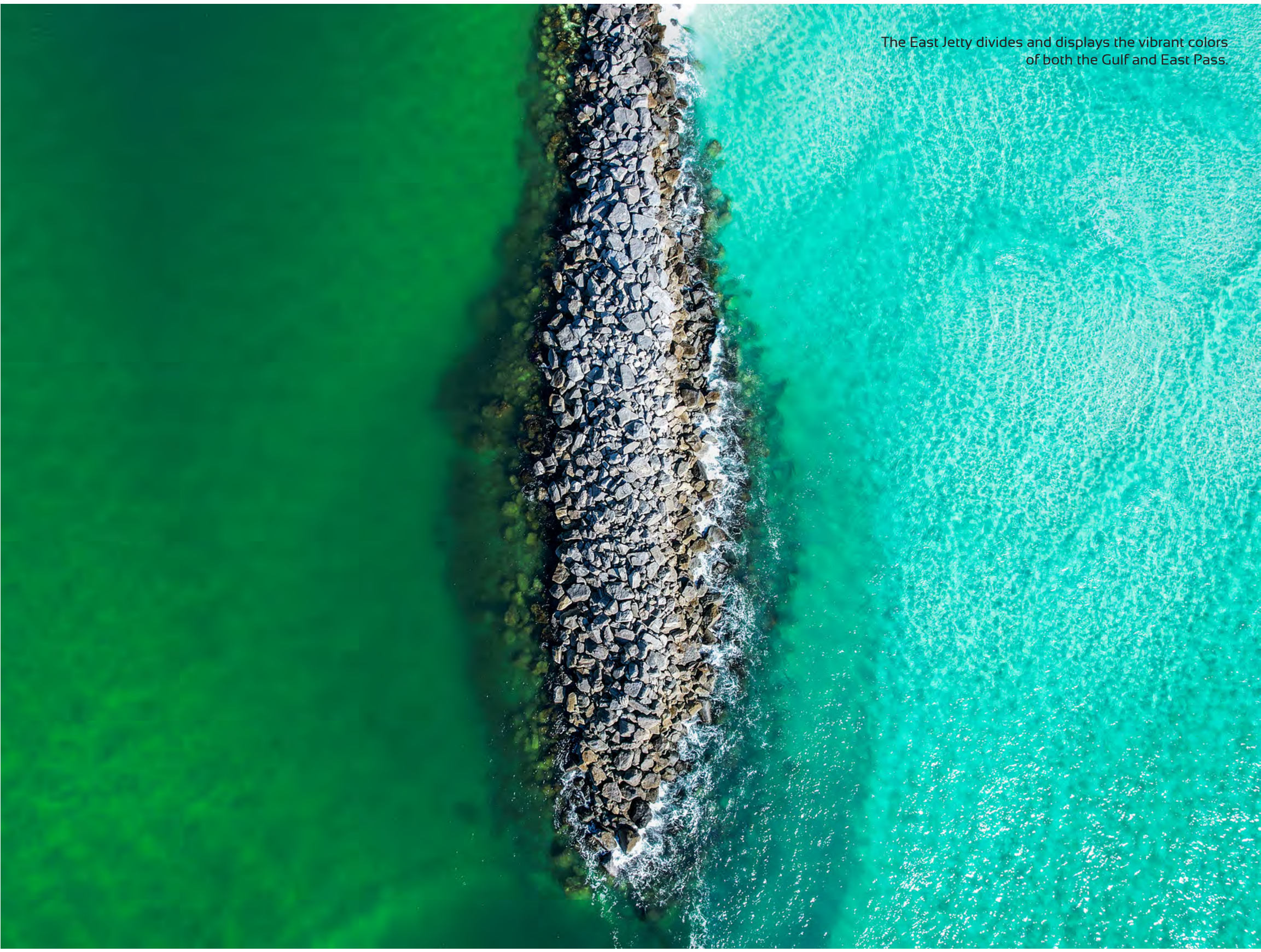
February 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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January 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 New Year's Day	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19 Martin Luther King Jr. Day	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

The East Jetty divides and displays the vibrant colors
of both the Gulf and East Pass.



January 2026						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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4	5	6	7	8	9	

March 2026						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9					

February 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
National Freedom Day	Groundhog Day					
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
						Valentine's Day
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Presidents' Day					
22	23	24	25	26	27	28



A planehead filefish poses for the camera at the snorkel reefs near Henderson Beach State Park in Destin.

March 2026

February 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9					

April 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9		

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				



A mother goose tends to her young as they march across the lawn at Sound Park in Fort Walton Beach.

March 2026						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9					

May 2026						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 April Fool's Day	2	3 Good Friday	4
5 Easter	6 Easter Monday	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 Thomas Jefferson's Birthday	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22 Earth Day	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		



A bee goes in for a landing on a purple passion flower at a residence in the unincorporated area of Wright.

April 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9		

June 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9				

May 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
					Loyalty Day	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Mother's Day						Armed Forces Day
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	Memorial Day					



A sand dune frames the Choctawhatchee Bay at Women Veterans Monuments at Veterans Park.

May 2026						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9

July 2026						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9		

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Flag Day					Juneteenth	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Father's Day						
28	29	30				



Juvenile greater amberjack school together at the snorkel reefs near Henderson Beach State Park in Destin.

June 2026						
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7	8	9				

August 2026						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9						

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4 Independence Day
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26 Parents' Day	27	28	29	30	31	



A loggerhead sea turtle surfaces in the Gulf near the Okaloosa Fishing Pier.

August 2026

July 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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5	6	7	8	9		

September 2026

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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6	7	8	9			

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					



A lone sycamore tree catches the morning light at Hurricane Lake in north Okaloosa County in Blackwater River State Forest.

August 2026						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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September 2026

October 2026						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7 Labor Day	8	9	10	11 Patriot Day	12
13 National Grandparents Day	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			



Evening light paints the leaves of a tree at Anderson Pond on Eglin reservation.

September 2026

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6	7	8	9			

November 2026

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8	9					

October 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12 Columbus Day	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31 Halloween



Flowers frame the static aircraft displays at the Air Armament Museum on Eglin Air Force Base.

October 2026						
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4	5	6	7	8	9	

November 2026

December 2026						
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6	7	8	9			

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
			Veterans Day			
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
				Thanksgiving Day		
29	30					

An aerial photograph of a tropical beach. The left side of the image is dominated by clear, turquoise water with visible ripples. A narrow strip of white sand beach runs diagonally from the top right towards the bottom center. A thick layer of white snow covers the beach, creating a stark contrast with the dark sand visible in some areas. The right side of the image shows a vast, flat expanse of white sand, likely a dune area, with some faint tracks and a small blue object visible in the distance.

Snow covers the already white sandy beaches of Okaloosa Island in this stunning display along the Gulf. Photo taken in January 2025.

November 2026						
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8	9					

December 2026

January 2027						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7 Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
					Christmas Day	
27	28	29	30	31 New Year's Eve		

